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TAGS: EAID, EFIN

SUBJ: U.S. PARTICIPATION IN FIRST REPLENISHMENT OF ADF

REF: (A) STATE 10958; (B) MANILA 1121; (C) 76 MANILA 19906

1. ADB MANAGEMENT'S EFFORTS TO DATE TO GET APPROVAL OF  
DONOR COUNTRIES (OTHER THAN UNITED STATES) TO RELEASE THEIR  
SECOND INSTALLMENTS TO ADF REPLENISHMENT HAVE NOT BEEN SUC-  
CESSFUL. MANAGEMENT FEELS THAT IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF  
CONFIRMATION WERE RECEIVED FROM U.S. DIRECTOR IN FORM OF  
LETTER TO ADB PRESIDENT THAT POSITION OF U.S. GOVERNMENT  
ON ITS INTENTIONS REGARDING THE \$180 MILLION ALLOCATED TO  
UNITED STATES IS UNCHANGED. (INFORMATION IN REF (A) WAS  
PROVIDED ADB MANAGEMENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON 19 JANUARY.)

2. FOLLOWING IS DRAFT OF LETTER FROM U.S. DIRECTOR TO ADB  
PRESIDENT. PLEASE ADVISE ASAP WHETHER THERE IS ANY OBJECTION  
TO PROPOSED LETTER:  
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QUOTE

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

RE: U.S. PARTICIPATION IN FIRST REPLENISHMENT  
OF ADF

I UNDERSTAND THAT, IN THE CONTEXT OF THE DISCUSSIONS CURRENTLY BEING HELD WITH DONOR COUNTRIES (OTHER THAN THE UNITED STATES) FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING AN APPROPRIATE SCHEME FOR THE RELEASE OF THE SECOND INSTALLMENTS OF THEIR RESPECTIVE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE FIRST ADF REPLENISHMENT, CERTAIN COUNTRIES HAVE REQUESTED CONFIRMATION OF THE LATEST POSITION WITH RESPECT TO AUTHORIZATION AND COMMITMENT OF THE AMOUNT ALLOCATED TO THE UNITED STATES UNDER THE AMENDED REPLENISHMENT RESOLUTION.

AS PREVIOUSLY ADVISED, THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO SEEK LEGISLATION IN 1977 AUTHORIZING A THREE-YEAR U.S. CONTRIBUTION OF \$180 MILLION TO THE FIRST ADF REPLENISHMENT; AND A \$60 MILLION APPROPRIATIONS REQUEST HAS BEEN INCLUDED IN THE FY1978 BUDGET TO COVER PAYMENT OF THE FIRST INSTALLMENT OF THE U.S. CONTRIBUTION.

THIS IS TO CONFIRM THAT THERE IS NO CHANGE IN THE POSITION OF MY GOVERNMENT AS STATED ABOVE, AS EVIDENCED BY THE ATTACHED TEXT OF A STATEMENT DATED 16 FEBRUARY 1977 OF THE HONORABLE C. FRED BERGSTEN, ASSISTANT SECRETARY-DESIGNATE OF THE U.S. TREASURY BEFORE THE FOREIGN OPERATIONS SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE.

I TRUST THAT THIS FURTHER CONFIRMATION WILL BE OF ASSISTANCE TO THE BANK'S MANAGEMENT AND TO THE DONOR COUNTRIES CONCERNED.

SINCERELY YOURS,  
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L. ROY PAPP  
U.S. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
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